To: Northshore School District Students and Parents

From: Cascadia Community College

Date: May 21, 2013

As of May 1, 2012, Cascadia Community College is offering Northshore School District current students and recent graduates the opportunity to use certain high school math courses for college placement instead of the required COMPASS assessment. Please see the revised matrix for May 2013 on the back of this letter for more information about what classes you are eligible to take based on your high school math classes and grades earned. Not every course taken in high school will result in a college placement; some students may still be required to take COMPASS.

Students who are interested in using this alternative placement process should bring either an unofficial or official Northshore School District transcript to the Kodiak Corner of Cascadia Community College prior to their Advising/Orientation process.

Northshore School District current students and recent graduates may still choose to use the COMPASS test for math placement instead of this transcript analysis process. For more information about COMPASS testing at Cascadia, visit <http://www.cascadia.edu/apply_register/compass_test.aspx>. Please contact [EnrollmentServices@cascadia.edu](mailto:EnrollmentServices@cascadia.edu) with any questions about this process.

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